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Sent: Thursday, July 10, 2014 9:32 PM
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Cc: james@duwamishcleanup.org
Subject: Re: FYI: Dredging at the Jorgensen Forge Facility on the Georgetown side of the Duwamish

Thanks for the info on the dredge bucket and rig, Becky. As I'm sure you know, there are a lot of variations in equipment used, and we are tracking environmental performance of the various options as they are used on the river.

Re: performance reports – will we be able to see results of turbidity and chemical WA monitoring in anything close to real time, as with Boeing? And if not, how long a delay will there be in having access to WQ data from dredging? It makes a difference to us in term of how frequently and diligently we need to be setting up visual monitoring for turbidity as well.

Thanks,
BJ

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On Jul 10, 2014, at 6:35 PM, Chu Rebecca <Chu.Rebecca@epa.gov> wrote:

What kind of dredger? I assume you mean dredge bucket. The bucket will be a Youngs bucket (the environmental one used at T-117). There will be times when we are working near the shore that they may switch out to standard clamshell bucket because of debris. The debris along the shoreline was an issue at Boeing Plant 2 as well, and the environmental bucket doesn't work with the debris.

For the cofferdam work, which is happening now, they are using the non-environmental bucket because there is a lot of debris. But the work is also all happening within a cofferdam, for the purposes of limiting any water quality impacts to the surrounding Duwamish.

In terms of updates- what would you like for updates? Here are the current dates for some of the milestones in the project:

- Complete the cofferdam work by 7/13

- Pulling piles, pulling back the bank, plugging the existing pipes and getting the barge equipment lined up for the in-water dredge- next week
- In water dredge starts 7/21. They must be out of the water by September 6th unless the tribal fishery opens later.

(b) (6) I forwarded my work phone to my cell phone.

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Thanks, Becky. Can you please refresh us – what kind of dredger? And how quickly and frequently can we get updates on performance?
-BJ

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On Jul 10, 2014, at 5:45 PM, Chu Rebecca <Chu.Rebecca@epa.gov> wrote:

Thanks BJ! I'll stop by there on my way home tonight. Dredging is going on right now- very exciting to see the work underway!

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Hi Becky and Julie,
I suggest you also post a notice at the entrance to the Marina, in order to reach all of the tenants (I don't suppose (b) (6) wants to take on the task of communicating details to everyone there!) ;)
Many thanks,
BJ

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On Jul 10, 2014, at 1:34 PM, Chu Rebecca <Chu.Rebecca@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi (b) (6) -

My name is Rebecca Chu, and I am a Remedial Project Manager at the U.S. EPA. I oversee the Duwamish Superfund Cleanup happening at the Jorgensen Forge Facility. This facility is right next to Boeing Plant 2. I've been reaching out to the community to let folks know about the removal work. I asked DRCC/TAG for contact information for those folks who I may have missed by other means- and they passed along your contact information.

Starting today (7/10) through possibly Sunday, 7/13, there will be dredging at the EMJ facility at the border next to Boeing Plant 2. The dredge will occur in the afternoon and end by 9 PM. There will be some boat traffic afterwards, given that they will be cleaning up and moving equipment after they end dredging at 9 PM. There will be no removal work at night. They usually start up again around 7 AM.

I am also attaching a Community Health and Safety Plan for you which contains more detail and information about the removal action.

Please contact Julie Congdon (206) 553-2752 or Becky Chu (206) 553-1774 of EPA with any further questions.

Thanks

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